

Shelia Bryant-Tucker
MNSTC-I IG Advisor

Military Education:

Command and Staff; Joint Services IG School; Army IG School; National Security Course; Defense Equal Opportunity Management Institute- Senior Leader Seminar

Civilian Education

JD, Thomas Jefferson School of Law; MA, University of Southern California – Systems Management; BS, Jackson State University- Communications

Work Experience

MULTI NATIONAL SECURITY TRANSITION COMMAND – IRAQ (MNSTC-I)
INSPECTOR GENERAL, BAGHDAD, IRAQ
(2007 -2008)

Special Staff Officer to the MNSTC-I CG. Serve as MNSTC-I Integration Officer, synchronizing and coordinating the Inspector General advisory activities across transition teams of the Ministry of Interior, Ministry of Defense, Joint Headquarters and Iraqi Special Operations Forces. Command liaison to the Embassy's Office of Accountability and Transparency in its Advisory support to Iraqi Anti-corruption institutions (Commission on Public Integrity, Board of Supreme Audit, and IG System). Responsible for development of the Military Inspection procedures and processes within the Iraq Security Forces (ISF). Coordinate closely with State Department with respect to Rule of Law issues within ISF in support of Anti-Corruption and Human Rights activities and the development of the military justice and courts system. Responsible for oversight of all MNSTC-I Internal IG requirements and coordination with US IG offices and IG resources external to MNSTC-I.

I MEF COMMAND INSPECTOR GENERAL, CAMP PENDLETON, CA
(2005 – 2007)

Responsible for Inspections, Investigations, Assistance and Fraud Waste and Abuse program for the First Marine Expeditionary Force. Conducted special interest briefs, coordinated external audits and inspections from GAO, DoD IG, Marine Corps IG and Navy Audit Service. Chief advisor to CG regarding IG matters.

LAW OFFICES OF SHELIA BRYANT-TUCKER, OCEANSIDE, CA
(1999 – 2005)

Provided representation and legal counsel for clients in the areas of Family Law, Civil Law, Personal Injury and Bankruptcy. Conducted trials and hearings in California State and Federal Courts. Conducted research and prepared legal memoranda and briefs. Worked as Deputy District Attorney Intern; responding to defense motions and memoranda; conducted several trials representing the State of California, each resulting in conviction.

OPERATIONS OFFICER, OARDEC, GUANTANAMO BAY, CUBA
(2004 -2005)

Coordinated and implemented process for Guantanamo Bay detainee hearings. Ensured that detainees were afforded the opportunity for hearings to determine whether they continued to be a threat to the United States or its allies. Managed resources and personnel from office at the Pentagon to execute Deputy Secretary of Defense guidance and directives. Ensured that all allegations of human rights violations were thoroughly investigated.

OPERATIONS OFFICER, G6, MARFORPAC, HAWAII

(2001-2004)

Responsible for managing resources, equipment and personnel in support of defining and building the communication infrastructure and its maintenance during initial phases of OEF/OIF. Participated as the G6 Rep in the formal planning process.

LEGAL OFFICER, AC/S SJA, CAMP PENDLETON, CA

(1998-2001)

Provided legal advice and assistance in support of the Office of the Staff Judge Advocate. Conducted investigations and research; drafted legal memoranda; assisted the Special U.S. Attorney in misdemeanor prosecutions of civilian offenders. Attended H&R Block Income Tax course in preparation for designation as coordinator the 2000-VITA income tax program for over 30,000 military members and dependants.

LEGAL EXPRESS ATTORNEY SERVICE, OCEANSIDE, CA

(1991 – 1999)

Sole proprietor of Legal Express Attorney Service, managing a staff of 12 process servers, investigators and court messengers. Established software system to automate project distribution and completion. Drafted proposals to acquire contracts with State and local government entities; designed marketing strategy and built viable robust company from the ground up. Provided paralegal services to individuals and business owners; preparing real property agreements, powers of attorney and other document preparation services.

COMMUNICATIONS OFFICER, UNITED STATES MARINE CORPS

(1982 – 1991)

Performed myriad assignments both CONUS and in Okinawa Japan, Korea and the Phillipines in support of Marine Corps computer service support. Served as OIC for Computer Science Center at Marine Corps Communication Electronics School; Team leader for Technical Assistance Team in Pacific Area of Operations; Project Officer at Marine Corps Tactical Systems Support Activity; Test Director for Joint Tactical Control Center.

COMMUNITY SERVICE:

2001 – 2005

Elected to serve as Director for the Tri-City Healthcare District Board of Trustees. Responsible for re-establishing pediatric ward of community hospital; drafted policy and procedure for 375 bed hospital employees and staff. Developed the budget and strategic expansion plan for District Healthcare services. Coordinated with non-profit agencies. Represented local interests at State and Federal congressional lobbying opportunities.

1995 – 1996 Oceanside Community Relations Commission Member

1995 – NAACP Military Member of the Year award.

1993 – NAACP Woman of the Year Award

1989 – 2003 Director, Lifeline Community Services Board of Directors.